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(B) USNATO 05615 DTG 151810Z OCT 75

1. PARA 4 REF A ASKED FOR INFORMATION TO SUBSTANTIATE FRG REP CITRON'S ALLEGATION THAT NATO ALLIES HAD INVITED FOREIGN OBSERVERS, INCLUDING OBSERVERS FROM WARSAW PACT NATIONS, TO VIEW MANEUVERS IN THE FRG WITH NEITHER THE FRG'S KNOWLEDGE NOR CONSENT. A FOREIGN OFFICE SOURCE ADVISED US THAT CITRON'S REMARK REFERRED TO AN EXERCISE OF THE DUTCH ARMED FORCES HELD LAST FALL IN THE FRG (SEE REF B). APPARENTLY THE DUTCH ALSO PLANNED TO INVITE WARSAW PACT MILITARY ATTACHES ACCREDITED IN THE HAGUE TO VIEW THEIR EXERCISE. UPON LEARNING OF THIS, THE FRG MADE APPROPRIATE REPRESENTATIONS IN BONN AND THE DUTCH APPARENTLY AGREED NOT TO INVITE OBSERVERS. HOWEVER, OUR SOURCE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THIS LATTER POINT.

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